

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jay M. Short Examiner: Park, Hankyel T.
U.S. Serial No.: 09/677,584 Art Unit: 1648
Filing Date: September 30, 2000
For: WHOLE CELL ENGINEERING BY MUTAGENIZING A
SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF A STARTING GENOME,
COMBINING MUTATIONS AND OPTIONALLY REPEATING

Date of Notice of Allowance December 17, 2002
Confirmation No. 3873

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

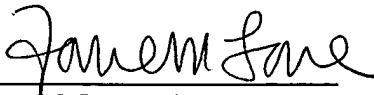
Sir:

Enclosed are the following for appropriate action:

1. Amendment After Notice of Allowance Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312;
2. Twenty-eight (28) sheets of formal drawings (Figures 1-24);
3. Communication to Comply with Requirement;
4. Sequence Listing in Computer Readable Form;
5. Paper Copy of Sequence Listing; and
6. Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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